COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 2388-01 <u>Type</u>: Original

Subject: Energy; Utilities; Easements and Conveyances

Bill Summary: This proposal modifies the measurement of damages in civil actions for

trespass or expanded use of an easement against a rural electric

cooperative.

State Fiscal Highlights

No direct fiscal impact on the state is anticipated.

Local Fiscal Highlights

• No direct fiscal impact on local political subdivisions is anticipated.

Fiscal Analysis

Officials at the Office of the State Courts Administrator and the Department of Economic Developments' Public Service Commission, the Office of Public Council and the Division of Energy each assume no fiscal impact to their respective agencies from this proposal.

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal. Also, this legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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